#### Lecture Module - Electrical Instruments

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## Using a Function Generator

• Primary Purpose:



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Limitations:

### Using a Function Generator



## Using an Oscilloscope

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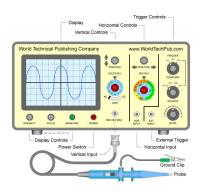


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## Using an Oscilloscope



# Using an Oscilloscope



### Pros, Cons, and Pitfalls



**Function Generator:** 

Pros: Cons:

Pitfalls:

### Pros, Cons, and Pitfalls



Oscilloscope:

<u>Pros:</u> <u>Cons:</u>

Pitfalls:

## Activity

Activity: Wire the system on the next slide to accomplish to the following:

- Generate a sinusoidal signal y(t) using the function generator
- 2 Measure and display the signal y(t) using the oscilloscope
- 3 Measure the applitude of the signal y(t) using the multimeter

## Activity

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